

HANDICAPPED VETS

Speaking of the physically handicapped veterans, Congressman Michener of Michigan said: "They are not looking for something for nothing. They are only asking for genuine Christian consideration and for an opportunity to use their talents for their own benefit and for the benefit of society."

VATICAN CITY

The area of the Vatican City is 108.7 acres, with a population of about 500. It is the temporal domain of the Roman Catholic church, under the Supreme Pontiff or Pope.

Service men's stationery? Call Torrance 444 or 443.

Colonel Asks Building Toward National Guard

As a large "carry over" from the State Guard to the National Guard in California is desirable, efforts should be made to bring into the State Guard men who have served in the armed forces during the recent war and young men 17 years of age, according to instructions from Col. Lawrence Mickel, commander of the Southern California area, to Major H. F. Thienhaus, commander of the 2nd Battalion, 39th Regiment.

Former service men may also be enlisted in the State Department of the National Guard, and so have a dual status, Col. Mickel said. The 17-year-olds may, when 18, likewise become eligible for enlistment in the contemplated National Guard.

Organization and activation of the National Guard, which eventually will replace the State Guard, is dependent upon both Federal and State legislation. No such legislation has been introduced, it is said. Absence of such legislation at this time, Colonel Mickel said, indicates that much time will pass before local steps can be taken toward transition from the State Guard to the National Guard.

"We can build toward the contemplated National Guard by strengthening the present State Guard with men interested in the National Guard and qualified for that service," Colonel Mickel declared. "Continuity of a State military force must be assured."

Enlistments in the State Guard and State Department of the National Guard are taken Monday and Thursday evenings in the Armories at Long Beach, Torrance and San Pedro.

Goat Boat Heads for Guam



Three seamen of USS Malheur, a navy transport, were assigned task of tending to 24 goats which were shipped from San Francisco to Guam where milk supply is desperate. Goat breeders Association of San Fernando, Cal., located the animals for the mission.

New General Petroleum Department

A new department conducting asphalt and road oil business has been created in General Petroleum Corporation coincident with dissolution of the Gilmore Asphalt & Road Oil Company and transfer of its assets to General Petroleum, effective Feb. 18. Announcement of this change is made by President S. J. Dickey of General Petroleum.

"Although a subsidiary since last March," states Dickey, "the asphalt and road oil company has continued to operate as a separate institution. Now, however, it is felt that the public can better be served by surrounding the business with the greater facilities provided by General Petroleum Corporation in production, manufacturing, and distribution."

"W. J. Juller, vice-president and director of the former company, will continue to be in the new department for General Petroleum, and Howard M. Loy will continue as his assistant. The entire sales and service staff has been retained."

"The asphalt and road oil company has been one of the largest organizations of its kind in western industry for a number of years, and it is anticipated that its activities will now expand further."

CATHOLIC PARTY THIS EVENING

Hostesses for this evening's Catholic party are Meses: McNeil, Dean, Phoenix, J. E. McMaster, Turner, Thompson, Tepper, Foley and Hedburg. Everyone is cordially invited. The first door prize will be presented at 8:00 o'clock and games of contract and auction bridge, pinocle and 500 will follow. Refreshments will be served.

IMPORTANT GROUP

One of the most important archipelagos in the southern Pacific, the Hawaiian Islands, are at least 250 islands in this group, the most important being Viti Levu, Vanua Levu, Taviliumi and Kandavu.

Welfare Group Directors Are Announced

The Board of Directors of the Community Welfare Federation has announced names of 12 representative citizens who last week assumed their positions on the volunteer board following annual elections.

The Federation now includes 35 associated towns and cities, representing a population of 2,361,914. During the war, the Federation, which operates the Community Chest and Welfare Council, supplied technical and staff direction for the fund-raising activities of the Los Angeles Area War Chest for services to the armed forces, for Allied relief, and for the home front.

Chosen for a two-year term were W. J. Braunschweiger, vice-president, Bank of America; Philip M. Connelly, secretary, CIO Council; Harvey S. Mudd, engineer; Reese Taylor, president, Union Oil Co.; Paul K. Yost, vice-president, Security First National Bank; Neil Petree, president, Barker Bros. and the War Chest; Mrs. Hancock Banning; Garner Beckett, president Riverside Cement Co.; Mrs. Cecil B. DeMille; Jay B. Jacobs, president, Simon Levi Co. Ltd.; Mrs. Edward W. Raith, president, 10th District P.T.A.; and Robert L. Smith, general manager, the Daily News.

Members retained are J. Y. Barut, vice-president, Crown Zellerbach Corp.; William J. Bassett, secretary - treasurer, Central Labor Council; Harry J. Bauer, chairman of the Board, Southern California Edison Co.; Mrs. Albert Crutcher; George W. Dryer, attorney; Y. Frank Freeman, vice-president, Paramount Pictures Inc.; Dr. Arlen Johnson, USC; Ben R. Meyer, president, Union Bank and Trust Co.; Rev. J. O'Connell, Rev. Messrs. J. O'Connell, J. J. Jones, president, California Institute of Technology; Joseph Scott, attorney; Arthur J. Will, Director of Institutions, County of Los Angeles; Olin Wellborn, III, attorney; and P. G. Winnett, president of Bullock's, Inc.

Clothing Drive Donors Get Praise For Big Effort

With clothing still coming in from outlying communities, John B. Elliott, chairman for the Victory Clothing Collection commended the donors in this area as he announced the drive is officially over in Los Angeles County Feb. 28.

"Clothing so far received is of good quality and in excellent repair," Elliott declared, "the type of clothing contributed shows that residents in this area realize the responsibility that was ours to aid those civilians of the Allied Nations that they may start life anew in their own communities overseas."

Final tabulations will be completed by representatives of the Procurement Division of the U. S. Treasury under the supervision of W. H. Bracken as the clothing is weighed, sorted and packed.

The Rev. Ronald J. Memmurr was chairman for the drive in this area.

U. S. SENATE The United States Senate has sat as a court of impeachment in 12 different cases.

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Child Care Centers Funds Are Available Continuation of child care centers until a permanent policy can be considered by the 1947 legislature was authorized in a bill signed by Governor Earl Warren. They were financed during the war by the Federal government from "Lanham Act" funds. This support expires March 1. "It would be a tragedy if the child care centers closed now," Governor Warren said. "It would be a tragedy particularly for the children of men still overseas whose wives are obliged to work." Spokesmen of Los Angeles county groups told the Governor many women working as nurses and school teachers as a patriotic duty would have to quit if the child care centers were closed. Admittance to a child care center is granted on request to any child of a man in military service. Other children will be admitted, under the new State law, only if their parents are unable to pay for care in private institutions. Governor Warren said he hoped the Department of Education which will administer the law, will be "liberal" in interpreting the latter provision. "We should take a liberal attitude when applying laws that deal with human needs," he said.

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